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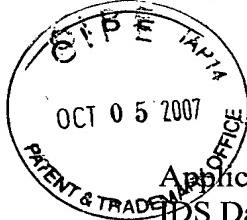
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This application is the national phase of the International Application No. PCT/JP2004/014818, which was filed on October 7, 2004. The references JP 2001-120639 and JP 2003-173858 listed on Form PTO/SB/08a were cited in the International Preliminary Report on Patentability ("IPRP"), dated June 26, 2006 in the underlying PCT Application and are relevant for the reasons given therein. A copy of the IPRP is enclosed herewith for the Examiner's convenience. JP 2001-120639 was also cited in the current application on page 2 and is relevant for the reasons discussed therein. JP S35-10375 was cited in the current application at page 2 and is relevant for the reasons discussed therein. An English language abstract is provided for each of the Japanese references with the exception of JP S35-10375 for which an English-language translation of the relevant portion is provided instead.

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